

Snell & Wilmer

LLP

LAW OFFICES

One Arizona Center
 Phoenix, Arizona 85004-2202
 602.382.6000 P
 602.382.6070 F
 swlaw.com

RECEIVED
 CENTRAL FAX CENTER

JUL 12 2005

DENVER

IRVINE

LAS VEGAS

PHOENIX

SALT LAKE CITY

TUCSON JUL 2 2005

FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

DATE: July 12, 2005

 TIME IN:
 TIME OUT:

TO:

Name	Fax Number	Phone Number
Examiner Edwyn Labaze Group Art Unit: 2876 United States Patent and Trademark Office	1-(571)-273-8300	

FROM: Emma Harty

PHONE: 602-382-6334

RE: Reply to Office Action Issued April 25, 2005.

MESSAGE:

Re: U.S. Serial No. 10/709,859, Filed: June 2, 2004
 Attorney Docket No. 70655.3500

Please make of record the attached Reply.

Any questions should be directed to Applicants' representative, Emma Harty, Esq., at
 (602) 382-6000 (or Diane Richardson at (602) 382-6606).

ORIGINAL DOCUMENT: Will not be sent

NUMBER OF PAGES (Including Cover):

6

CONFIRMATION NO.:

CLIENT MATTER NO.: 70655.3500

PLEASE RETURN TO:

 Diane Richardson
 16S26

PERSONAL FAX:

No

REQUESTOR:

Emma Harty

DIRECT LINE:

602-382-6000

IF YOU HAVE NOT PROPERLY RECEIVED THIS TELECOPY, PLEASE CALL US AT (602) 382-6075.
 OUR FACSIMILE NUMBER IS (602) 382-6070.

THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS FACSIMILE MESSAGE IS ATTORNEY PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION INTENDED ONLY FOR THE USE OF THE INDIVIDUAL OR ENTITY NAMED ABOVE. IF THE READER OF THIS MESSAGE IS NOT THE INTENDED RECIPIENT, OR THE EMPLOYEE OR AGENT RESPONSIBLE TO DELIVER IT TO THE INTENDED RECIPIENT, YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT ANY DISSEMINATION, DISTRIBUTION OR COPYING OF THIS COMMUNICATION IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED. IF YOU HAVE RECEIVED THIS COMMUNICATION IN ERROR, PLEASE IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY US BY TELEPHONE, AND RETURN THE ORIGINAL MESSAGE TO US AT THE ABOVE ADDRESS VIA THE U.S. POSTAL SERVICE. THANK YOU.

97117 70655.3500 PHX 1640942

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

JUL 12 2005

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE/MAILING PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.8

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office at (703) 872-9306 and that a confirmation copy is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on:

Date: July 12, 2005By: *Diane Richardson*
Diane RichardsonIN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT

Applicants: **Mark E. Robinson, et al.** Attorney Docket No.: **70655.3500**
Serial No.: **10/709,859**; Confirmation No.: **3858** Group Art Unit: **2876**
Filed: **June 2, 2004** Examiner: **Edwyn Labaze**
Title: **TRANSACTION AUTHORIZATION SYSTEM AND METHOD**

REPLY

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner:

In reply to the Office Action mailed on April 25, 2005, of which this Reply is filed within the shortened three-month period for reply, please consider the following recitation of claims and remarks:

Claims are recited beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.

AMEX No. 200400935

1

Serial No. 10/709,859
Docket No. 70655.3500

1680656